



PREPARING TO ADOPT A PET



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THE PET ADOPTION PROCESS







send hundreds of postcards to the area where your pet was lost.

All you have to do is perform a LOST pet search on PetHarbor and follow the prompts. Start your search by entering your zip code or city name above, then choose "Lost My Pet"

Visit the website **petharbor.com** under "adopt a pet", enter zip code 20772, and select Prince Georges County Animal Services Division to view the available animals in the facility.

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- Benefit the animals by providing mechanisms for them to be adopted if they are available or found if they are lost.
- . Benefit the public by empowering them to adopt a new animal companion, find a lost pet, or re-unite an owner with a lost pet that they have found.
- Benefit the animal shelters by connecting the public with the shelter and the animals contained therein.

Dedication: This website is dedicated to those people who work in animal shelters. Our society has given to them a difficult and often heartbreaking task. It is a daily struggle that is largely unseen by the general public, and no pats on the back are given -- rarely do they ever hear a simple 'Thank you'. Yet day in and day out they meet their challenge with compassion, dignity, and humanity. From we who notice, Thank You.

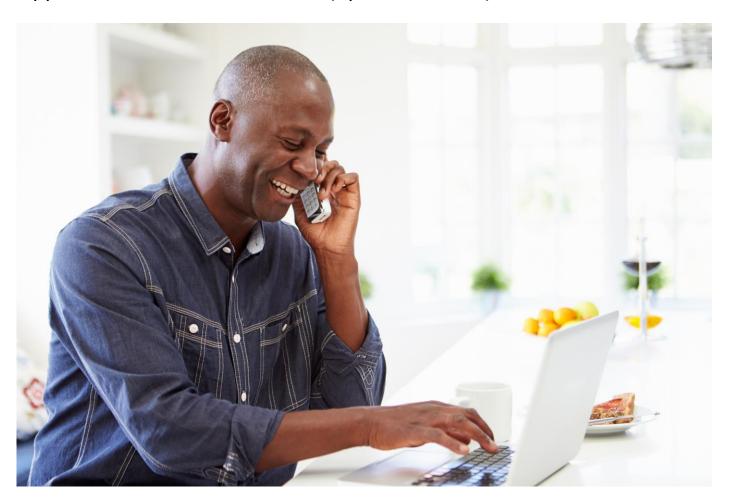
On these pages you will find dogs and cats, pupples and kittens, sheep and horses, parakeets and hamsters. They come from your local animal shelter, SPCA, Humane Society, county or city Animal Control, and many private animal-welfare organizations. Most of them need homes. 'Nuff said.





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Call (301)-780-7201 with the animal ID number to check availability and schedule an appointment for an interaction (up to 2 animals)







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After scheduling an appointment complete the <u>Adoption Application for Dogs & Cats</u> or <u>Adoption Application for Exotic Animals</u>, print and bring application to your scheduled appointment. Bring along with you to the facility. Please **DO NOT FAX OR EMAIL** applications

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Barking			High- energy		Food/Toy aggression			
Dog aggression			 Separation anxiety 					
☐ Blind/deaf				Doesn't use	stair	 Incontinence (leaking urine) 		
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12. How long	will you allow	your an	imal to	adjust to your	home; expla	ain:		
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16. Indicate he	ow many adul	ts live in	the ho	usehold:				
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Note: Citizens and residents adopting a pet from the Animal Services Facility may pay for adoption fees by cash or Credit Card only.



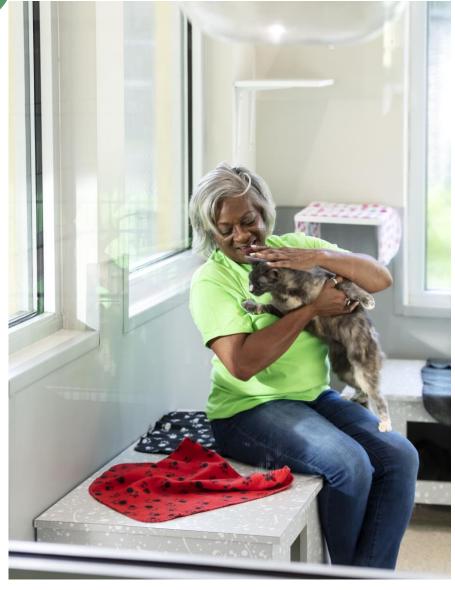


ADOPTION PROCESS RULES









- We take up to three applications per pet on a first-come, first-served basis.
- If you miss your scheduled appointment, the next application will be processed, and your name will be removed as an applicant.
- We only allow 2 people in an interaction
- You must be 18 years or older to adopt
- Animals are placed as household pets only. You are not permitted to adopt animals for guarding, hunting or mousers.



In accordance with Prince George's County law, all female pets MUST be spayed and all male pets neutered. Animals adopted out will be spayed/neutered before going home. If a medical condition prohibits spay/neuter at the time of adoption, a contract will be signed to bring the pet back for spay/neuter surgery at a later date.









- The animal must be maintained in accordance with the licensing and other laws of the community in which it resides and be provided with routine and emergency veterinary care as required.
- It is the objective of the Animal Services Division to place pets from the Facility in the most suitable home available for both the pet and the family. We reserve the right not to place an animal, to refuse or deny any application, or to make recommendations to consider another selection.
- In order to expedite the adoption application process you
 may print and fill an application for adoption to bring along
 with you to the facility. Applications are accepted in person
 at the Animal Services Facility. Faxed applications are not
 accepted.





LOOK HOW HAPPY YOU CAN MAKE A SHELTER ANIMAL WHEN YOU ADOPT!



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